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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Divisional Application Based on:

Applicant:

FRANCIS A. L'ESPERANCE, JR.

Serial No.:

748,358

Filed:

June 24, 1985

Group:

3,35

Examiner:

David Shay

For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OPHTHALMOLOGICAL SURGERY

New York, New York 10165 November 4, 1985

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

xx This is a request for filing a divisional application under 37 CFR 1.60 of pending application Serial No. 748,358, filed June 24, 1985, of Francis A. L'Esperance, Jr., "Method and Apparatus For Ophthalmological Surgery".

Enclosed is a copy of the prior application as originally filed (with copy of Declaration and Small-Entity Statement), and an affidavit or declaration verifying it as a true copy.

xx Also enclosed, in triplicate, are two sheets of formal drawings, as filed in said Serial No. 748,358.

-- The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELLED BY AMENDMENT:

For	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate	Basic Fee:	\$170.00
Total Claims	9	=	0	×	\$ 6.00	=	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	3	=	0	x	\$17.00	=	\$ 0.00
Total Fee Enclosed:							\$170.00

xx The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to our firm Deposit Account No. 08-2776. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.



xx A check in the amount of \$170.00 is enclosed.

xx Please cancel claims 1 to 6, 10, 11, 18 to 24, leaving claims 7 to 9 and 12 to 17, for prosecution in this divisional application.

xx The prior application is not assigned.

xx The power of attorney in the prior application is to:

Hopgood, Calimafde, Kalil, Blaustein & Judlowe
60 East 42nd Street
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Telephone: 212-986-2480
 [Please note (a) below]

xx The power appears in the original papers of prior application Serial No. 748,358, a copy enclosed.

xx Address all communications to the firm of:

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n re Continuation Application Based on:

Applicant:

FRANCIS A. L'ESPERANCE, JR.

Serial No.:

794,444

Filed:

November 4, 1985

Group:

335

Examiner:

David Shay

For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OPHTHALMOLOGICAL SURGERY

New York, New York 10165 October 8, 1986

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D. C. 20231

## Sir:

This is a request for filing a continuation application under 37 C.F.R. 1.60 of pending application Serial No. 794,444, filed November 4, 1985, of Francis A. L'Esperance, Jr., entitled "Method and Apparatus for Ophthalmological Surgery", which application is a divisional application based on Serial No. 748,358, filed June 24, 1985. Said divisional application Serial No. 748,358, was based on Serial No. 552,983, filed November 17, 1983 (now abandoned). xx Enclosed is a copy of the prior application as originally filed (with copy of Declaration and Small-Entity Statement), and an affidavit or declaration verifying it as a true copy.

xx Also enclosed, in triplicate, are two sheets of drawings, as filed in said Serial No. 794,444.

xx Also enclosed is a Request for an Extension of Time of Three Months, Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(2).

xx The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELLED BY AMENDMENT:

Number	Number	•	Basic			
Filed	Extra	Rate	Fee:	\$170.00		
9 =	= 0	x \$ 6.00	=	0.00		
3 =	= 0	x \$17.00	=	0.00		
Three (3) month extension fee:						
:			`	\$365.00		
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xx The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to our firm Deposit Account No. 08-2776. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

xx A check in the amount of \$365.00 is enclosed.

Please cancel claims 1 to 6, 10, 11, 18 to 24, leaving claims 7 to 9 and 12 to 17, for prosecution in this continuation application.

xx The prior application is assigned to LRI L.P., a Delaware Limited Partnership. Said Assignment was recorded on May 6, 1986, under Reel 4548, Frames 106 to 107. A copy is enclosed.

xx A Small-Entity Statement is already of record in said Serial No. 748,358. A copy is enclosed.

xx The power of attorney in the prior application is to:
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xx The power appears in the original papers of prior application Serial No. 748,358. A copy is enclosed.

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